



Congressman Blumenauer met this month with Housing and Urban Development Secretary Shaun Donovan, who visited Oregon to get a firsthand look at Portland's storied livability – much of it a direct result of Congressman Blumenauer's Livable Communities policies for the past twenty years. Highlights of the Secretary's visit included a meeting with civic leaders, a walking tour of the Pearl District, a ride on the Portland Streetcar, and an aerial view of the South Waterfront District from the tram. Impressed, Secretary Donovan hopes to return to Portland for a longer visit next year.